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Fenbendazole 150mg

Broad-Spectrum Anthelmintic for Animals

An educational overview of this trusted veterinary deworming treatment, presented by ivercares.com

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What is Fenbendazole 150mg?

01 A broad-spectrum benzimidazole anthelmintic for animals.

02 Treats a wide range of gastrointestinal parasites effectively.

03 Commonly available as chewable tablets or granules.

04 Best suited for medium-sized dogs and small cattle.

05 Used only in veterinary medicine, not for humans.

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How Fenbendazole Works

01 Blocks energy metabolism inside parasite cells.

02 Starves parasites of the energy they need to survive.

03 Leads to the parasite’s eventual death.

04 The body then naturally expels the dead parasites.

05 Considered safe with a well-established track record.

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Parasites It Treats

01 Effective against roundworms and hookworms.

02 Also treats whipworms and certain **tapeworms**.

03 Controls strongyles commonly found in horses.

04 Targets pinworms and lungworms as well.

05 One of few anthelmintics effective against Giardia.

Use in Dogs and Cats

01 Treats roundworms, hookworms, and whipworms.

02 Also effective against **several tapeworm species**.

03 Usually given as chewable tablets or mixed powder.

04 Suitable for puppies over six weeks of age.

05 Kitten use requires veterinary supervision.

Use in Horses

01 Controls ascarids affecting the digestive tract.

02 Treats pinworms common in stabled horses.

03 Also effective against various strongyle species.

04 Given orally as a feed additive or paste.

05 Part of routine equine deworming programs.

Use in Cattle and Sheep

01 Controls Ostertagia, Trichostrongylus, and Haemonchus.

02 Also targets Cooperia and similar parasites.

03 Helps reduce overall **parasitic load in herds**.

04 Supports better weight gain in livestock.

05 Can improve milk output in dairy animals.

Use in Exotic Animals

01 Sometimes used in reptiles under vet guidance.

02 May be prescribed for birds with parasites.

03 **Dosing varies widely by species** and size.

04 Always requires veterinary supervision and guidance.

05 Not a standard treatment without professional advice.

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Key Benefits

01 Broad-spectrum action reduces need for multiple drugs.

02 Very well tolerated with minimal reported toxicity.

03 Convenient 150mg dosing for medium-sized animals.

04 One of the few options effective against Giardia.

05 Affordable and widely accessible for pet owners.

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Administration Tips

01 Giving it with food improves absorption.

02 Food also helps reduce mild stomach upset.

03 Choose chewables or powder based on animal preference.

04 Complete the full course even if symptoms improve.

05 Stopping early can encourage parasite resistance.

Common Side Effects

01 Mild vomiting or diarrhea may occur.

02 Some animals experience temporary loss of appetite.

03 Lethargy is occasionally reported during treatment.

04 Most side effects are mild and short-lived.

05 Contact your vet if symptoms don’t improve.

Rare Side Effects & Precautions

01 Allergic reactions like swelling or itching are rare.

02 High doses may cause overdose-related symptoms.

03 Not recommended for pregnant animals without vet approval.

04 High doses may carry embryotoxic risks in pregnancy.

05 Always confirm dosing carefully with your veterinarian.

Drug Interactions

01 Generally low potential for drug interactions.

02 Inform your vet about any NSAID use.

03 Corticosteroid use should also be disclosed.

04 Other antiparasitic drugs may need spacing out.

05 Always share your animal’s full medication history.

Human Use: Facts & Cautions

01 Not approved by the FDA for human use.

02 Online claims about cancer benefits remain unproven.

03 Peer-reviewed human safety evidence is very limited.

04 Self-medication can lead to serious health risks.

05 Always consult a healthcare professional before considering it.

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